

Wil Henderson

Associate

Denver

Biography

Wil Henderson's nuanced insight into the multiple facets of the complex and highly regulated health care industry helps him to work alongside his clients to assist them in achieving their business goals, while anticipating and side-stepping potential risk.

Wil draws on his deep experience and broad background in this industry to inform his practice, which focuses on the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and medical device regulatory and compliance issues. Wil advises medical device and technology companies in the life sciences space on matters related to regulatory approvals, total product life cycle management, promotional issues, quality system, and other regulatory compliance matters. He also provides general advice on navigating the FDA's regulatory framework.

Wil brings a unique perspective to his clients' issues because he's been in their shoes. Prior to becoming a lawyer, Wil worked in various roles for health companies, including brand management and mergers and acquisitions for Searle Pharmaceuticals (now part of Pfizer), where he launched Celebrex, a blockbuster nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory; as a strategic planner for a health care planning and facility development company; and as the chief financial officer of a health care consulting firm focused on nonprofit hospitals



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Practices

Health Law

Medical Device and Technology
Regulatory

Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology
Regulatory

Investigations, White Collar, and
Fraud

Industries

Life Sciences and Health Care

Areas of focus

Administrative Procedure Act

and health systems.

Before joining the firm, Wil worked at two Denver law firms where he honed his skills in handling health care regulatory matters, including regulatory compliance, licensing, and government enforcement actions.

In addition to graduating fourth in his class from the University of Denver Sturm College of Law, he holds an MBA from the Northwestern University Kellogg School of Business.

Awards and rankings

- Health Care Law, Ones to Watch, *The Best Lawyers in America*, 2021

Latest thinking and events

- News
 - FDA updates VMSRP instructions for summary MDR reporting – including reasons for possible program exclusion
- News
 - FDA updates FAQ on COVID-19 tests and validation
- Media Mention
 - Hogan Lovells helps Nets owner donate ventilators to hospitals *Law360*
- Announcements
 - Hogan Lovells advises Joe and Clara Tsai Foundation in shipping thousands of ventilators and millions of units of PPE to the US from China
- News
 - SweynTooth cybersecurity vulnerabilities: considerations for medical device manufacturers
- Press Releases
 - Hogan Lovells advises Tusker Medical on FDA approval of breakthrough therapy for children with chronic ear infections

Postmarket Compliance and Enforcement Actions

Advertising and Copy Clearance

Advertising and Promotion Compliance

Combination Products

Medical Devices

Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology

Unique Device Identifiers

Cell, Tissue, and Gene Therapies

Education and admissions

Education

J.D., University of Denver Sturm College of Law, Order of the Coif, Order of St. Ives, 2015

M.B.A., Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, 1997

B.S., University of Illinois, 1993

Bar admissions and qualifications

Colorado
